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Lt. Gov. Reynolds attends IDEA awards ceremony, praises recipients' contribution to community

(DES MOINES) – Lt. Gov. Kim Reynolds last night attended the presentation of the Governor's Office of Drug Control Policy's (ODCP) Innovation, Determination & Excellence in Action Award (IDEA) to Sigourney Police Chief Allan Glandon.

"I am proud to have been able to present Chief Glandon with the IDEA Award last evening," said Reynolds. "With leaders in our local communities like Sigourney Police Chief Glandon, Iowa will continue to make strides to prevent and reduce substance abuse."

The IDEA award was created by ODCP to recognize individuals and organizations for exemplary service and leadership that demonstrably improves the health and safety of Iowans through innovative prevention, enforcement or other drug control initiatives.

Glandon's positive influence in the community and schools was evident in testimonies submitted as part of the nomination process. Glandon assisted in implementing a keg registration ordinance that has led to a decrease in binge drinking among youth. Sigourney's keg registration ordinance led a successful movement at the state level to adopt a similar law requiring keg registration. He has also been active in organizing youth substance abuse prevention groups, enforcing underage tobacco use laws, and disposing of old, unused prescription drugs.

"Through his work in reducing drug and alcohol abuse, Chief Glandon has made a difference in the lives of the citizens of Sigourney and Keokuk County," said Governor's Office of Drug Control Policy Director Mark Schouten.

Glandon has served on Sigourney's police department for over thirty years.

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